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Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-26 (Canceled).

Claim 27 (Currently Amended): An information storage medium configured to have data recorded thereon and data reproduced therefrom by at least one of a recording and/or reproducing apparatus, said data including management information including still picture VOB group information, and still picture information, the information storage medium comprising:

a first recording area configured to record the still picture information[[;]], the still picture information including,

a still picture video object group having the at least one still picture video object; and

at least one still picture video object configured to store the still picture information;

a still picture video object group including the at least one still picture video object;

and

a second recording area configured to record first management the still picture VOB group information, the first management information being used to reproduce the still picture information, wherein,

said still picture information is recorded on the first recording area in the at least one still picture video object;

said first management information includes a second management information, said second management the still picture VOB group information managing a corresponding still picture video object group and including,

still picture VOB entry type information including a temporary erase flag indicating whether the corresponding still picture video object is temporarily erased, and

video part size information indicating a size of a video part of the corresponding still picture video object.

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Claim 28 (Currently Amended): An information recording method for recording still picture information on an information storage medium that includes,

a first recording area configured to record the still picture information, comprising:
~~at least one still picture video object configured to store the still picture information,~~
a still picture video object group including [[the]] at least one still picture video object, and

a second recording area configured to record ~~first management still picture VOB group~~ information, the first management information being used to reproduce the still picture information, wherein,

~~said still picture information is recorded on the first recording area in the at least one still picture video object.~~

~~said first management information includes a second management information, said second management~~ the still picture VOB group information managing a corresponding still picture video object group and including,

still picture VOB entry type information including a temporary erase flag indicating whether the corresponding still picture video object is temporarily erased, and

video part size information indicating a size of a video part of the corresponding still picture video object,

the information recording method comprising the steps of:

recording the still picture information on the first recording area; and

recording the first management information in the second recording area.

Claim 29 (Currently Amended): An information reproducing method for reproducing still picture information recorded on an information storage medium that includes,

a first recording area configured to record the still picture information, comprising:

~~at least one still picture video object configured to store the still picture information,~~

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a still picture video object group including [[the]] at least one still picture video object, and

a second recording area configured to record first management still picture VOB group information, the first management information being used to reproduce the still picture information, wherein,

~~said still picture information is recorded on the first recording area in the at least one still picture video object,~~

~~said first management information includes a second management information, said second management~~ the still picture VOB group information managing a corresponding still picture video object group and including,

still picture VOB entry type information including a temporary erase flag indicating whether the corresponding still picture video object is temporarily erased, and

video part size information indicating a size of a video part of the corresponding still picture video object,

the information reproducing method comprising the step of:

reproducing the still picture information recorded in the first recording area based on the first management information stored in the second recording area.

Claim 30 (Currently Amended): An information reproducing apparatus for reproducing still picture information recorded on an information storage medium that includes,

a first recording area configured to record the still picture information, comprising:

~~at least one still picture video object configured to store the still picture information,~~

a still picture video object group including [[the]] at least one still picture video

object, and

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a second recording area configured to record ~~first management~~ still picture VOB
group information, the first management information being used to reproduce the still picture
information, wherein,

said still picture information is recorded on the first recording area in the at least one
still picture video object,

said first management information includes a second management information, said
second management the still picture VOB group information managing a corresponding still
picture video object group and including,

still picture VOB entry type information including a temporary erase flag indicating
whether the corresponding still picture video object is temporarily erased, and

video part size information indicating a size of a video part of the corresponding still
picture video object.

the information reproducing apparatus comprising:

means for reproducing the still picture information recorded in the first recording area
based on the first management information stored in the second recording area.